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Leghorne, July 27. *N. S.*

THE Levant Galley, Captain John Atkins Commander, arrived here the 22d Inſtant, being come in 27 days from Briſtol, without touching any where, or meeting with any Enemy in her Paſſage. On the 24th a Dutch Privateer called the Flying Fame came in here from Zeeland, who in the Chanel engaged two French Privateers, and had 8 Men wounded, but being a better Sailer, got clear of them. She met 8 days ago off Sardinia a French Merchant Ship of 24 Guns, and 40 Men, laden with Rice and Brimſtone, for Cadiz, whom ſhe took after a Fight of about an hour, wherein the French Captain and two of his Men were killed. The Fame intends to go out again to morrow a cruiſing. There are two other Fluſhing Privateers abroad, and they may probably meet with good Purchaſe, there being near 20 French Ships expected from ſeveral Ports of *Turky*, moſt of them bound hither.

Vienna, Auguſt 15. Letters from *Rovero* of the 6th Inſtant ſay, the Prince of *Vaudemont*, Governor of *Milan*, who at preſent commands the *French* Forces in *Italy*, was fortifying his Camp along the *Secchia*, and taking the neceſſary Precautions for his Security, leſt the *Germans* ſhould attack him during the Duke *de Vendoſme*'s Abſence with the beſt part of the *French* Army. General *Trautſmandorf* was marched from the Imperial Camp with his Regiment of Dragoons, a Regiment of *Huſſars*, and 300 Horſe, towards the Lake *di Garda*, in order to make a Diverſion of the Enemy's Forces. Advices from *Trent* of the ſame Date tell us, the Duke *de Vendoſme* had taken the little Caſtle of *Penede* near *Torbole*, and that the Garriſon of *Riva* was retired to *Arco*, which laſt Place is tolerably well fortified, and provided with all Neceſſaries for making a good Reſiſtance. General *Solari* had poſted a ſufficient Number of Forces along the *Adige*, as far as *Meran*, to hinder the *French* from paſſing over that River; General *Vaubonne* lay at *Roveredo* with 4 Battalions of Foot and 500 Horſe; which Number is lookt upon to be ſufficient for defending the Paſſage of the *Adige* above *Meran*, and keeping open the Communication with the Imperial Army in *Italy*: A Body of 1000 Men was poſted on Mount *Brenner*, to guard that Poſt, and the Paſs of *Funtermuntz*; Two Bodies of Militia were at *Malvin* and *Campeggio*, two conſiderable Paſſes, about two days Journey from *Bolzano*; Two Battalions remain in Garriſon at *Trent*; and all the narrow Defilees through which the *French* muſt paſs to advance farther into the Country of *Tirol* were ruined, and undermined, ſo that there is no likelyhood of their making any farther Progreſſes. Letters from *Augsbourg* of the 9th confirm the Imperialiſts having retaken the Caſtles of *Ehrenberg* and *Clauſen* from the *Bavarians*. They write from *Tockay* of the 9th, That the chief Body of the Rebels in *Hungary* was encamped near *Dioſeck*, where they had been joined by ſome of the Country People, whom they had over-perſuaded to enter into their Party, by the hopes of great Advantages, and that they had obliged the Town of *Debrezin* to furniſh them with 500 Fire-Arms, Cloathing for 6000 Men, 24000 Crowns in Money, and a good ſtore of Proviſions. The Count *de Montecuculi* was not far from *Tockay*, and was marching with his Regiment towards *Ibran*, to the Relief of 40 Gentlemen, who, with their Tenants and Retinue, were blocked up in that Caſtle by the Rebels: More Forces were drawing together to ſupreſs this Rebellion; and the Emperor has remitted a 4th part of the Subſidies demanded from that Kingdom.

Zurich, Auguſt 15. Letters from the Duke de Vendoſme's Army of the 6th Inſtant ſay, they are at a ſtand how to proceed, having an Account from Tirol, that the Elector of Bavaria, who was to have met them, is retired towards his own Frontier, and that the Generals Vaubonne and Solari expect them in very difficult Paſſes with 12000 Men. This is confirmed from all Parts; and it is added, that the French, notwithſtanding their being already Maſters of the Paſſes on Monte-Baldo, and having taken two Caſtles on that Frontier, talk of returning to Italy by the ſame way they came.

Ratisbonne, Auguſt 20. *N. S.* The Imperial and *French* Armies in *Swabia* continue in their former Camps near the *Danube*. The 8 Battalions of *Dutch* Auxiliaries are advanced to *Great Sieſſen*, near *Goppingen*, where they wait for Prince *Lewis*'s Orders, either to join the main Army, or elſe to reinforce the Body of Imperial Troops under the Command of the Count *de la Tour*, who is ſtill poſted near *Ehingen*. The two *Bavarian* Regiments of Cuiraſſiers of *Weichel* and *Coſta*, that lately marched towards *Ulm*, are poſted at *Pfuel*, about a Mile from that Town, and the *French* Detachment they were ſaid to have joined (which is now commanded by Monſieur *Fonboiſſard*) lyes at *Offinhauſen*, to obſerve the Count *de la Tour*'s Motions. The Elector of *Bavaria* is ſtill at *Mitterwaldt*, and the beſt part of his Troops lye between that Place and *Seefeldt*. Major-General *Guttenſtein* has thrown up Redoubts along the *Ihn*, in all the Places where the Elector might conveniently make Bridges for his Army to paſs over that River; ſo that the Country of *Tirol* is thought to be ſufficiently ſecured from any new Invaſion on that ſide. The Peaſants of that Country have once more blocked up the Caſtle of *Kuefſtain*, where the Gariſon is in want of Salt, Wood, and ſeveral other Neceſſaries; ſo that there is little doubt made of their recovering that Place out of the hands of the *Bavarians*, as they have already done the Town of *Rottenberg*. Our Letters from *Inſpruck* of the 15th give no Account of the Duke of *Vendoſme*'s having made any farther Progreſs in *Tirol*, from whence it is conjectured that he may have found more Difficulties there than he had imagined, which, together with the ill Succeſs of the Elector of *Bavaria*, and the little appearance of his joining him, may oblige him to march back into *Italy*. In the mean time Major-General *Reventlau*, with the *Daniſh* Forces which lay at *Lintz*, a Battalion of thoſe of *Mecklembourg*, the Regiment of Horſe of *Hanover*, and the Count *de Schlick*'s Regiment of Dragoons, making together about 4000 Men marched the 18th Inſtant early in the morning through the City of *Paſſau*, in order to attack the *Bavarian* Lines on that ſide, which are but ſlightly guarded; and we hear ſince that they had the good fortune to break through the Wood near *Newbourg*, and thereby to open themſelves a way into the *Bavarian* Territories; the Particulars whereof, with an Account of their farther Deſigns, are expected by the next Poſt from thence. General *Herbeville* having drawn together a good Body of *Huſſars*, Huntſmen and Militia, on the Borders of *Bohemia*, is fallen into the *Upper Palatinate*, and has made himſelf Maſter of *Furth*, where he has his head Quarters; and it is ſaid he intends from thence to march towards *Straubing* or *Vilſhoffen*, and to endeavour to join with the Count *de Reventlau*; which will oblidge the Elector, inſtead of making any new Attempt on *Tirol*, to think of defending his own Country. We hear the *Bavarian* Gariſon in the Caſtle of *Rothenberg*, in *Franconia*, which is blockt up by ſome Forces of that Circle, are in great want of Water, Beer and Wine, ſo that they can not probably hold out much longer: We have had a Report that they had capitulated, but it is not confirmed.

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